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## DROPS SUIT AGAINST GOVERNOR

But Governor Vetoes Provision Which Was to Give Mrs. Durand \$7,392

CALLED CHEAP POLITICIAN

Although with full knowledge of Governor Dunne's action in vetoing that provision of the appropriation bill which was to partly reimburse her for the loss of her herd of thoroughbred cattle, Mrs. Scott Durand informed her attorney, C. W. Diver of Waukegan, to move the dismissal of her suit for \$100,000 against Dunne, Dyson and others. Judge C. C. Edwards dismissed it, upon Mr. Diver's motion.

Mrs. Durand, in explaining her action said tersely:

"I took this step in order to keep my word with the committee members in Springfield."

During her recent sojourn at the capital, Mrs. Durand voluntarily offered to dismiss the suit against the state and federal officials if the house and senate committee members in charge of the hoof and mouth disease appropriation would reimburse her.

The committee reported favorably awarding her \$7,392, but the governor took a different course. He requested her to sign a pact in which she was to dismiss the present suit and refrain from any further action against state or federal officials in the future. He informed her that unless this was done, he would veto her appropriation.

"The governor's action in calling up Mrs. Durand Saturday night and asking her to sign a stipulation which practically requested her to give up her rights as a citizen, to sign her liberty away, was that of a cheap politician and of a coward," says Mrs. Durand's attorney.

"He traded upon his political power, in order to satisfy a personal desire, Mr. Diver stated. 'This he had no right to do, but knowing the man, I am not surprised. The least that can be said is that he was up to trickery of some sort.'"

The stipulation the owner of Crabtree farm was requested to sign, while the threat of veto was suspended over her, is all-inclusive. In referring to refusal of the millionaire "agriculturist" to affix her signature to the document, her attorney said:

"Mrs. Durand cannot be censured for refusing to sign away present and future rights."

What course Mrs. Durand will now pursue is left to speculation. She has decided upon no certain steps, but is understood to be mapping out a certain campaign that will have Governor Dunne as its objective. Her guns are being trained upon the executive and all the power of her wealth is being mobilized for an assault upon the man she holds individually responsible for her misfortune.

Her action in refraining from signing the compact is significant, indicating that she contemplates future activity. Otherwise, had not the condition of the governor's trading on his political power been involved, she would probably have had no reason for refusing to affix her name to the pact.

Referring to the slaughtering her herd, Mrs. Durand says:

"On November 9, without warning the sheriff of Lake county and a posse came into my house, read me a letter from Governor Dunne to the sheriff asking him to take sufficient men proceed to my farm, and protect the state and federal government by killing my cattle."

"By the time he had finished reading the letter the state and federal government men were on the ground and twenty-six armed men arrested my employees and myself, held us under force while the cattle were slaughtered."

Mending China.  
Put the pieces together carefully, tie firmly and boil in sweet milk for half an hour. China so mended will last for years.

Mars Displaced.  
Lowbrow—'Vot's dat gink's name they call the god of war? Bilton—Ananias.—Judge.

## LAKE COUNTY AUTO SHOW AT WAUKEGAN

The Lake County Automobile show to be held in the Armory at Waukegan on Feb. 24, 25 and 26, under the auspices of the Waukegan Commercial association, will be the most attractive automobile show held this year outside of Chicago.

Between twenty-five and thirty makes of automobiles will be shown. The decorations will surpass anything attempted at automobile shows outside of the large cities. The artistic effect of the decorations will enhance the exhibits and will be worth attending the show to see. There will be music to entertain the visitors and refreshments will be served at the show. The lighting in the armory for this show will be novel and exceedingly beautiful.

Most of the best exhibits at the Chicago Automobile show have been secured by Lake County dealers for the Lake County Show. This display of all of the best makes of cars in the United States will afford an opportunity for everyone interested in automobiles to compare the merits of the different makes, the advantages of each with the others, their equipments and accessories. It will assemble for the residents of Lake county all of the best makes of cars under one roof at a point convenient to all. It will be proof positive that the very best in the automobile line can be bought from Lake county dealers and agents.

The Waukegan Commercial association is deserving of the credit for promoting this attractive automobile show.

## GOOD ROADS MEETING DRAWS LARGE CROWD

The Lake County Good Roads Association met at Fox Lake Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 8, at 2 o'clock.

The principal speaker was Hon. A. D. Gash, Chairman of the Illinois Highway Commission. With Mr. Gash was the engineer of the State Commission to advise with the Fox Lake authorities about the construction of a bridge over Fox River and plans to open a shorter route to the Lake Geneva section.

These members of the Highway Commission together with officials of Fox Lake and County Highway Superintendent, C. E. Russell inspected the site for the proposed bridge Tuesday morning.

The meeting at 2 o'clock was presided over by Geo. P. Renahan, Round Lake, Vice President of the Lake County Good Roads association. The meeting was well attended and much enthusiasm prevailed. A large delegation came in from Lake Geneva who were in favor of the bridge as it would shorten the distance from Chicago to Geneva.

The next meeting of the Lake County Good Roads association will be held at Waukegan on Friday, Feb. 25, during the Lake County Automobile show. The Waukegan meeting will be held at the invitation of the Waukegan Commercial association. A very attractive speaking program is being arranged for that occasion and a large attendance is expected.

## TILLOTSON-KING WEDDING MONDAY

On Monday, Feb. 17, at the home of the brides' parents occurred the marriage of Ada Tillotson to Emmet Wilson King at one thirty p. m. Rev. Stixrud of Elgin, officiating. The march, Mendelsohn's Midsummer Night Dream was rendered by her sister, Grace.

The bride was attended by her sister, and the groom by Mr. Guy Fairbrother of Chicago. Only the immediate families being present.

The wedding gown was a charming little affair of white mull trimmed with Irish lace, and the bride carried a bouquet of white rose buds.

After a dainty luncheon the bridal pair left for a short honeymoon trip to Madison, Wis., and other points. After their return they will be at home to their many friends on the King farm one mile east of Hickory corners.

Backward-Looking.  
Backward-looking when carried to an extreme becomes a vice, as does anything else in excess. But everyone should be a backward looker in moderation, as the past may teach us something, for it is experience; the future can teach us nothing, for it is hope.—Baltimore Sun.

Got Light From Butter.  
Egyptians in the third century used to burn butter in their lamps instead of oil.

## NEWS ITEMS FROM OUR EXCHANGES

Busy People's Column of Interesting News In Condensed Form

CLIPPINGS OF INFORMATION

Richmond will again vote on the license question at the coming spring election.

Julius Steffen, of Powers lake, landed two pickerel last week each weighing about 22 pounds.

There is considerable township high school talk at Grayslake at this time and it begins to look as if that village will be given such an institution before many months have passed.

By building its new depot in the present location at Delavan the Milwaukee road put it beyond the limit so the government must take off the transfer of the mail to and from the postoffice.

Kenosha has started an active campaign headed by Postmaster Gorman to get an addition to the Kenosha post office. They ask for \$50,000.

If parents of pupils of the Beloit high school wish, their children will be given military training in the schools, according to the statement of E. C. Helm, secretary of the board of education. The subject will be presented to parents.

The Mystic Workers at Silverlake will give a grand masquerade and ball at the Columbia hall on Monday evening, Feb. 14. Four prizes will be awarded and a good time guaranteed to all. Music by Stange's orchestra.

A number of Catholic sisters are reported to have looked over the Resthaven hotel property at Waukegan a few days ago, with the possible idea in view of purchasing it. Nothing was given out as to whom they represented. The property was also inspected recently by a surgeon representing the Soo line for the purpose, it is said, of reporting on its availability as a hospital.

According to the memory of the oldest inhabitant the water in the Fox and White rivers at Burlington was only higher following the heavy snow of 1881 than it was last Saturday. Both rivers overflowed their banks the White going even higher than the Fox. Where the interurban car comes into Burlington on Second street the water was up over the car tracks. Saturday evening the water started to recede, much to the satisfaction of all living along the river banks.

## HICKORY

School commenced Monday with a new teacher.

Maretta Little spent over Sunday at S. W. Ames.

Dora Pedersen spent Sunday with Marie Petersen.

Frazier Hollenbeck spent last week at Ward's Corner.

Almond Puled spent last week with Waukegan relatives.

Frank Kennedy and family spent Sunday at Millburn.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Savage and Irene spent Sunday at Antioch.

Mr. and Mrs. John Traynor spent Sunday at the Pullen farm.

Mrs. Simeon Ames spent last week Thursday and Friday at Waukegan and Gurnee.

T. Peterson was called to Lake Geneva Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Petersen's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrett of Millburn will soon be moving to their new home at Hickory on the Olsen farm.

Friendship.  
There is no half-way house on the road of Friendship; if you don't go the whole distance you have started falsely.

Daily Thought.  
Nothing is rarer in the world than a person who is at all times endurable to us.—Leopardi.

## MILK PRODUCERS FIX TABLE FOR SUMMER MILK

The Milk Producers association which covers northern Illinois and southern Wisconsin has worked out a scheme by which it hopes to regulate the price of milk in the future.

The price worked out in the summer is arrived at in the following fashion. Milk is brought from dairymen on the basis of 100 lbs. Milk containing 3% of butterfat would contain three pounds of butterfat, which at the butter price of 30 cents a pound, would be worth 90 cents. Skimmed milk is sold for half the price of whole milk. Therefore, a 100 pounds of skimmed milk would be worth 90 cents. A hundred pounds of milk, minus the 3 per cent butterfat, would be at least worth four-fifths of the original amount, or 72 cents. Adding the 72 cents to 90 cents gives \$1.62 or the price average for 3 per cent milk.

Following the reasoning further, it is figured that each per cent in butterfat should be worth 54 cents, giving the scale asked for milk containing more than 3 per cent.

Following is the scale of prices asked by the association:

	3	3.5	4	4.5	5
April	1.70	1.97	2.24	2.51	2.78
May	1.55	1.82	2.09	2.36	2.63
June	1.40	1.67	1.94	2.21	2.48
July	1.60	1.87	2.14	2.41	2.68
August	1.72	2.02	2.29	2.53	2.83
Sept.	1.75	2.02	2.29	2.56	2.83
Average	1.62	1.89	2.16	2.43	2.70

## SCHOOL NOTES

Our January attendance was hardly up to the standard, but was not bad. We had 23 perfect which is 50% of our enrollment.

The Basket Ball team met defeat at Grayslake last Saturday evening. The score stood 28 to 12 which was a fair showing as our boys had had no practice since the cold weather began. Our boys did not have a single foul called upon them for holding or for roughness. We have ordered suits for the team, and are going to Wilmot Friday evening for a game. Both Grayslake and Wilmot will play return games here at some later date.

The Science department has received a new supply of loose leaf note books from the W. M. Welch & Co. of Chicago.

Several pupils have been on the sick list the past week.

The Antioch Choral society are using the H. S. room for a meeting place during the meetings at the church. Laurel Powles and Harold Huber were in Chicago last Thursday.

Supt. F. G. Blair has consented to be present at our dedication exercises in March.

## MILLBURN

Rev. Ward of Gibson City, Ill., was the temperance speaker here Sunday and was very interesting.

The Hockaday school is closed for a month. Miss Stella Haines and Cashmore children have the measles.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bonner, Mrs. T. Kidd and Mrs. W. Bonner have been sick the past week with the grip.

Ernest White of Montana, arrived the past week to be with Mrs. White when she has a very serious operation at the Presbyterian hospital in Chicago.

An entertainment will be given at the church Monday evening, Feb. 14. Mr. Mande, the famous magician and Mr. Staples the noted cartoonist will entertain you.

The Farmers Institute will be held at the church Thursday, Feb. 17. Mrs. McMurray will have a special demonstration for the ladies in another room. Dinner will be sold by the ladies of the church.

The Keystone class invited the Volunteer class and C. T. U. class to a party given Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Miller as a housewarming Friday evening. A very pleasant time was had.

Varnish as a Bedbug Cure.  
Varnish is death to the most persistent bedbug. Ten cents' worth will do for one bed. Thin with turpentine and apply with a paint brush, getting it in all the corners, ends of the slats and springs where they hide. Every corner should receive attention. This plan was followed by a hotel woman for ten years with success.

Gave Name to Party.  
The word "Radical," as applied to a British political party, originated in a speech made by Charles J. Fox in 1797, when he referred to the necessity for "radical" reform.

## BETTER LIGHTS OFFERED ANTIOCH

Also Longer Hours and Lower Price Per Lamp and No Moonlight Schedule

FOR FRANCHISE EXTENSION

For a good many months the Village Board have fully realized that the village has been paying an exceptionally high rate for its street lights, and when the monthly bills came in many "kicks" were heard from members of the board as well as from various citizens, who plainly expressed their feelings about it. But, as the price, per light per year, the candle power, the hours of service, etc., were clearly set forth in the contract, when about five years ago a franchise was granted for a period of ten years, it looked as though there was no way out until the expiration of the present franchise. However, one member of the board, J. H. McVey, has been turning the matter over in his mind for some time and took the reins in his own hands to the extent of making a trip to Chicago on Wednesday for the purpose of placing his objections before the State Public Utilities Commission which met there for the purpose of hearing the objection of dissatisfied consumers. He learned however, that the work of the Commission did not apply to street lighting, and he immediately took steps to place the matter directly before Vice President Monroe of the Public Service Company. Mr. McVey cited him to the rates of our neighboring villages and pointed out the weak places in our service. Mr. Monroe then invited Mr. McVey to the general offices where the matter was gone over in detail and President Insull was consulted by phone with the result that Mr. Monroe made the following proposition:

That if the Village board would be willing to cancel the present contract and issue one in its place for another period of ten years, the company would be willing to increase the size of our lamps from 60 to 100 candle power, also to eliminate the moonlight schedule entirely and hereafter set the hours of lighting from dusk until midnight, 15 days in the year. And what a saving! \$233 per year, multiply that once more by the five years that the old contract still holds and we see a saving of \$1,166 for the village of Antioch if the members of the Board see fit to accept the offer which Mr. McVey has succeeded in getting from the company.

At first this may seem an unusual concession for a company to make, but a comparison of the amount we have been paying each month with that of other villages about us will show that, even then, we will be receiving the average service for the average price and at the same time the company is safeguarding itself by extending its franchise for an extra five years and also paving the way for a renewal which they realize would be a difficult matter for them under the present condition.

The matter has been referred to the Superintendent of this district who was instructed by Mr. Monroe to visit Antioch as soon as possible and consult with the members of the board who will of course have the power to accept or reject the proposition.

Not to be Fooled Twice.  
"We are now," said the passenger in the dripping oilskins, "about to round Cape Horn. Don't you want to come out and see it?" "I should say not," answered the passenger with the novel. "You made me go and look at Sandy Hook, and it wasn't a hook at all. You can't fool me a second time."—New York Sun.

Mold on Books.  
During continued damp weather books often become musty and even moldy. This can be prevented by placing a few drops of oil of lavender and Canada balsam in the back corner of each bookshelf.

## LAKE VILLA

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hamlin spent last Wednesday in Chicago.

Mrs. Caddock is entertaining her mother from Newark, N. J.

Miss Lela Glynn of Deerfield spent over Sunday with Mrs. Paul Avery.

Mrs. Jennie Johnson suffered a stroke of paralysis early Saturday morning.

F. M. Hamlin and Paul Avery were in the city on business the first of the week.

The fourth and last number of the lecture course, a magician, will be held in Barnstable hall on Feb. 17. Please take notice.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Potter are all smiles, the result of hearing of the arrival of a little daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Potter of Waukegan.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Kick (nee Villa Larson) have been visiting her sisters, Mrs. Poulton and Alice Larson and other friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Manzer entertained a few friends at cards one evening last week. Refreshments were served and a pleasant evening spent.

The Bible class were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Potter Wednesday evening. Supper was served and a pleasant time enjoyed.

Mrs. Chas. Kapple and little daughter of Grayslake and Miss Madge Fredericks of Libertyville spent last Thursday with Mrs. C. B. Hamlin.

Chas. Darby, who lived here many years on what was known as the Darby farm, was brought here from Antioch, where he has lived the past few years, for burial in the Antioch cemetery. Beside his wife who passed away some years ago.

P. R. Avery missed having a serious accident Sunday evening when, coming home from Grayslake, a pin on one of the wheels broke, allowing it to slip off, but as he was going at a high speed, no harm came of it. The wheel was replaced by the same kind and not without further excitement.

Mr. Rogers, the laundry man, and who has been ever since Capt. Bradley's institution passed away morning. He had health Saturday at the village, so his prior to his illness. The funeral was held at the village, so his prior to his illness. The funeral was held at the village, so his prior to his illness.

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## HEAT FLASHES, DIZZY, NERVOUS

Mrs. Wynn Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Helped Her During Change of Life.

Richmond, Va.—"After taking seven bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I feel like a new woman. I always had a headache during the Change of Life and was also troubled with other bad feelings common at that time—dizzy spells, nervous feelings and heat flashes. Now I am in better health than I ever was and recommend your remedies to all my friends."—Mrs. LENA WYNN, 2312 E. O Street, Richmond, Va.

While Change of Life is a most critical period of a woman's existence, the annoying symptoms which accompany it may be controlled, and normal health restored by the timely use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Such warning symptoms are a sense of suffocation, hot flashes, headaches, backaches, dread of impending evil, timidity, sounds in the ears, palpitation of the heart, sparks before the eyes, irregularities, constipation, variable appetite, weakness and inquietude, and dizziness.

For these abnormal conditions do not fail to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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**BLACK LEG**

LOSSES SURELY PREVENTED by Cutler's Blackleg Pills. Low priced, fresh, reliable; preferred by Western stockmen, because they prevent where other vaccines fail. Write for booklet and testimonials. 10-dose pkg., Blackleg Pills \$1.00. 50-dose pkg., Blackleg Pills \$4.00. Use any injector, but Cutler's best. The superiority of Cutler's products is due to over 15 years of specializing in vaccines and serum. Write to Cutler's, Inc., 1000 Broadway, New York City, or to the Cutler Laboratory, Berkeley, Cal., or Chicago, Ill.

Peculiar Reply.

Tessie—Why didn't you accept him if you hated to refuse him?

Jessie—I hadn't the heart to do it.

## FRUIT LAXATIVE FOR SICK CHILD

"California Syrup of Figs" can't harm tender stomach, liver and bowels.

Any mother realizes, after giving her children "California Syrup of Figs" that this is their ideal laxative, because they love its pleasant taste and it thoroughly cleanses the tender little stomach, liver and bowels without griping.

When cross, irritable, feverish, or breath is bad, stomach sour, look at the tongue, mother! If coated, give a teaspoonful of this harmless "fruit laxative," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. When its little system is full of cold, throat sore, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, indigestion, colic—remember, a good "inside cleaning" should always be the first treatment given.

Millions of mothers keep "California Syrup of Figs" handy; they know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups printed on the bottle. Adv.

Progressive Dampness.

"Young Twohille first decided that he wanted to be a lawyer."

"Yes."

"But he thought the law was too dry, so he decided to become a doctor."

"But even that was too dry, so he opened a drug store in a dry town, and now it's the wettest place you can find in a day's walk."

To keep clean and healthy take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They regulate liver, bowels and stomach. Adv.

Not Agile.

Archibald—Yes, he sprang from the people.

Archibald—Well, he didn't spring far.

## Rest Those Worn Nerves

Don't give up. When you feel all unstrung, when family cares seem too hard to bear, and backache, dizzy headaches and irregular kidney action mystify you, remember that such troubles often come from weak kidneys and it may be that you only need Doan's Kidney Pills to make you well. Don't delay. Profit by other people's experiences.

### An Illinois Case

Mrs. William Tinkler, 217 Caroline St., Pekin, Ill., says: "I suffered severely from pains in the small of my back and the least exertion made them worse. The kidney secretions also troubled me and I was miserable. Doan's Kidney Pills removed these ailments and best of all, I haven't suffered from another attack since."



Get Doan's at Any Store, 50c a Box.  
**DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS**  
FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

## BOMBS AND FIRE DESTROY CANADA'S PARLIAMENT HOUSE AND KILL SIX

England's Enemies Carry War to Her Oversea Dominion and Create Havoc at Ottawa—Explosion Stops Session of House and Members Fight for Safety—More Than Fifty Persons Hurt—Police Hunt German Spies—Loss Great.

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 5.—Canada's historic parliament house lies today a pile of hot ruins, wrecked by fire and explosion which killed at least six persons, two of them women, and injured half a hundred. The entire Canadian secret service is hunting for clues to the incendiaries—supposedly Germans.

While parliament was in session at eight o'clock Thursday night the huge building was shaken by two violent explosions. The alarm was sounded at once. Flames from the bombs spread so rapidly that 200 or 300 persons in the house—including members of parliament, guards, diners in the restaurant, spectators in the galleries, women guests of parliamentarians and newspaper men—escaped with much difficulty. Some never got out alive, and some got out with burns and other injuries.

The Ottawa fire department was unable to cope with the flames and Montreal sent several fire companies to help. The firemen fought all night and until noon Friday to keep the flames from spreading to other important structures.

The parliament building was valued at five million dollars. Its contents were priceless historically.

First Blast Falls Men.

It has been established that the first burst of flames in the reading room of the house of commons was preceded by at least one explosion and probably by two. The force of the concussion was so severe that persons standing some distance away were hurled to the floor.

Sir Robert Borden, the Canadian premier, who was in the building, escaped safely, but Martin Burrell, minister of agriculture, was severely burned about the head, and Dr. Michael Clark, member for Red Deer, was burned about the hands.

When Speaker Seigney took the chair and opened the session of the house at eight o'clock, only about five members were in their seats. A discussion relating to fisheries was proceeding when the alarm was given and all were told to leave as quickly as possible.

The members were driven back by smoke and flames when they sought an exit through the two main doors. Spectators in the galleries, panic-stricken, stampeded for the exits at the same time.

Minister of Agriculture Burrell was overcome as he made his way through the thickest of the smoke and fell just in front of the post office.

Mr. Burrell had been working in his private office adjoining the reading room when the fire started.

Burned Rescuing His Coat.

Doctor Clark was burned while attempting to obtain his coat from a small locker in front of one of the corridors outside the chamber.

There were many employees in the restaurant at the time, and the lower corridors filled with smoke so quickly that they were unable to get down the stairs.

They made their way along the southwest corner and reached the windows looking down on the front. They were soon noticed there and from hundreds arose the cry, "Don't jump; ladders are coming."

Speaker's Family Trapped.

Mme. Seigney, wife of the speaker, her two children, and three woman guests were in the speaker's private quarters on the same floors as the chamber and reading room. They were cut off from safety by a wall of flame.

When firemen reached Parliament hill they saw Mme. Seigney standing at a window with her children in her arms. A life net was spread and into it the speaker's wife dropped her children. Then she leaped safely into the net.

Mme. Seigney's guests were Mme. Bray of Montreal, Mme. Morin of Beauce, and Mme. Dussault of Quebec. Mme. Dussault leaped into the firemen's net. When firemen reached the speaker's rooms they found Mme. Bray and Mme. Morin unconscious. They were taken from the building and physicians applied pulmotors in vain. After a half-hour the women were pronounced dead.

Two Dominion policemen and two common attendants who were working with other men in the chamber below the speaker's quarters when the roof fell were killed.

Certain Fire Was Incendiary.

No doubt exists in the minds of members and senators that the fire was of incendiary origin. The blaze was the result of a series of chemical explosions.

### A Sure One.

"The detective has discovered a clue in a cottage up the road to the robberies about here."

"What was it?"

"He noticed that the vine on the back was a porch climber."

### Not Fully Recovered.

"Recovered from your attack of the grip, old man?"

"Not entirely."

"Why, you look as well as ever."

"Yes, but I owe the doctor \$15."

All entrances to the building have been guarded by dominion policemen since the explosion in the capitol building at Washington last spring, but it is thought that a stranger could have evaded the guards.

Col. George Bradbury, a member for Manitoba; Medrie Martin, mayor of Montreal and a member from that city, were at the entrance to the reading room when the fire started.

"I was on my way from the chamber to my room, which is near the library," said Mayor Martin, "when I heard an explosion. Instantly flames shot out from the reading room. My first thought was of the fire extinguisher, which was near by, but policemen were then endeavoring to press it into service and I turned, running into the chamber."

### "Fire, and a Big One!"

"Deputy Speaker Rhodes was to the chair and everything there was tranquil until I dashed through the door and shouted 'Fire—and a big one!' I turned toward my room again, but by that time the corridor was filled with smoke and flames were beginning to shoot toward the chamber."

"I reached the hotel about 9:15 o'clock and immediately put in an order for the Montreal fire brigade. I realized then that little of the parliament building could be saved, but feared that other fires would start. Flames shot along the corridors at an awful rate and it seemed just a few seconds until the whole place was black with smoke, making it impossible to see."

Mr. Bradbury was standing in the main corridor of the house of commons near the post office when he heard a crash and rushed along the corridor toward toward the main entrance of the chamber.

"It appeared to break out in an instant," he said. "I was standing near the post office when I heard the crash. Then I turned and saw several of the policemen and messengers hurrying along toward the reading room. I went into room 16, where many of the conservative members were and shouted 'Fire.' Before reaching that room there was another explosion of some kind which knocked me off my feet."

"The members soon came running out of room 16 and they also poured from the chamber. Within a few minutes that section of the building near the reading room was a mass of flame. One of the messengers told me that all the members had escaped from the chamber."

### Separate Explosions.

Maj. Gerald White confirmed the statement of Mr. Bradbury with regard to the separate explosions. He was in room 16 when the alarm rang and was one of the last to leave, assisting others of the older members out.

Gen. Sir Sam Hughes, minister of militia, was in the crowd at this point and helped the work of rescue. General Hughes ordered out the Seventy-seventh Overseas regiment, which is completing training in Ottawa. The soldiers lined the grounds and controlled the crowd.

The flames from the burning parliament building were seen two miles away at Rideau hall, the residence of his household aids, all of whom are the Duke of Connaught, governor general of Canada. The duke summoned his household aids, all of whom are wounded officers invalided from the front, and they motored swiftly into the city, but were unable to give any assistance.

The governor general sat in his closed car and watched the destruction of the historic building, the cornerstone of which was laid in 1867 by his brother, King Edward VII, then Prince of Wales.

### Superb Structures.

The Canadian parliament buildings at Ottawa are considered superb specimens of Gothic architecture and are grouped on the summit of Parliament hill, banking the Ottawa river. The group of buildings are 150 feet above the level of the river, and huge limestone bluffs lend a stateliness to their architecture.

The eastern and western sides of the quadrangle are the buildings used for departmental purposes. Outside the parliament grounds, and to the south is Langevin block, which is used for departmental business. The archives building and the royal mint stand to the eastward of the parliament group. Two large departmental buildings are south of the Archives building and facing Parliament hill.

### An Exception.

"I hold that a man's muscles should be developed as well as his brain."

"So do I," answered the sport enthusiast, "but in the case of a pugilist, if he's lucky enough to get a shrewd manager it isn't necessary for him to develop his brain at all."

### No Mistake.

Giles—Poor old Blowitz! The fool-killer got him at last.

Miles—I thought it a case of suicide.

Giles—And so it was.

Extreme Pacifism.

"Soldiers in Europe are fighting with gas bombs and liquid fire."

"What are we coming to?"

"I don't know, but so long as there are places in the world where a man may hide himself, I know I'm not coming to that."

## RED, ROUGH, SORE HANDS

May Be Soothed and Healed by Use of Cuticura. Trial Free.

Nothing so soothing and healing for red, rough and irritated hands as Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment. Soak hands on retting in hot Cuticura soapsuds. Dry, and gently anoint hands with Cuticura Ointment. A one-night treatment works wonders.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere. Adv.

### Inculcating Morals.

Mr. Johnson—I'll teach de young varmint to lie! He said a fish got away from him in de millpond today dat was as big as de fish dat got away from me down dar last week.

Mr. Jackson—Wal, p'raps dat's de trufe!

Mr. Johnson—Nonsense! Dar ain't no sech size fish as dat in dat millpond, an' dar nevah wuz!

## QUIT MEAT IF KIDNEYS BOTHER AND USE SALTS

Take a Glass of Salts Before Breakfast if Your Back Is Hurting or Bladder Is Irritated.

If you must have your meat every day, eat it, but flush your kidneys with salts occasionally, says a noted authority who tells us that meat forms uric acid which almost paralyzes the kidneys in their efforts to expel it from the blood. They become sluggish and weaken, then you suffer with a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, dizziness, your stomach sours, tongue is coated and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine gets cloudy, full of sediment, the channels often get sore and irritated, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night.

To neutralize these irritating acids, to cleanse the kidneys and flush out the body's urinous waste get four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy here; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acids of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize the acids in urine, so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure, and makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink. Adv.

### All the Difference.

A motorist, who was touring in Ireland, one day met a native who was driving a donkey and cart.

Thinking he would like to have a little fun at the man's expense, he began:

"What is the difference, Pat, between your turnout and mine?"

"Oh, not a great deal," promptly replied Pat. "Shure, the donkey's in the shafts in the wan and on the sate in the other."

## DANGEROUS VARICOSE VEINS CAN BE REDUCED

If you or any relative or friend is worried because of varicose veins, or bunions, the best advice that anyone in this world can give is to get a prescription that many physicians are now prescribing.

Ask your druggist for an original two-ounce bottle of Emerald Oil (full strength) and apply night and morning to the swollen, enlarged veins. Soon you will notice that they are growing smaller and the treatment should be continued until the veins are of normal size. So penetrating and powerful is Emerald Oil that it dissolves goitre and wens and causes them to disappear.

### In a Different Light.

"The boys are throwing stones at a poor peddler."

"Outragious."

"That's what I think."

"Whose boys are they?"

"Yours."

"Oh, well, boys will be boys. Let the children play."

### PREPAREDNESS!

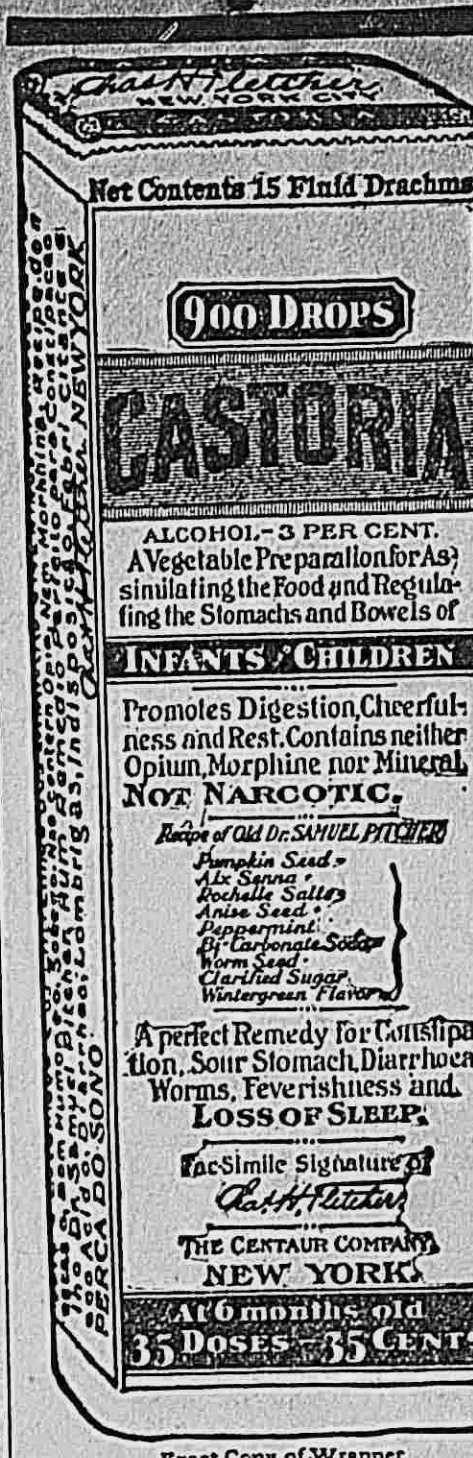
To Fortify The System Against Grip when Grip is prevalent LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE should be taken, as this combination of Quinine with other ingredients, destroys germs, acts as a Tonic and Laxative and thus keeps the system in condition to withstand Colds, Grip and Influenza. There is only one "BROMO QUININE." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box, 5c.

### Explained.

"I want to ask you a few direct questions about this institution."

"Couldn't answer any direct questions. I'm a director."

Money furnishes a house, but it takes love to furnish a home.



Exact Copy of Wrapper



Such cows are usually being tended up by the use of Kow-Kure, the great cow medicine. Used for twenty years for the cure and prevention of Acid Stomach, Milk Fever, Scouring, Appetite, Bunches and Retained Afterbirth. Sold by druggists and feed dealers in 10c and 25c packages.

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# SHOE SALE

ANTIOCH CASH SHOE STORE WILL SELL OUT THE ENTIRE STOCK OF J. R. CRIBB  
**Sale Begins Sat., February 12**

As we are compelled to vacate the store formerly occupied by J. R. Cribb, and are unable to make room (in our overcrowded store) for the stock bought of Mr. Cribb, we have decided to have a record breaking shoe sale and will place on sale everything in the J. R. Cribb store at prices far below their value. We guarantee everything sold to be a bargain.

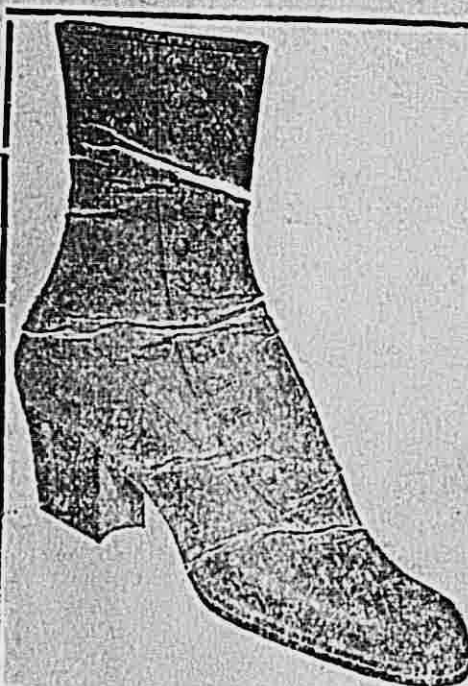
Read every price listed, compare the goods with any that you can find anywhere and you will be more and more convinced that the Antioch Cash Shoe Store is the best place in Illinois to buy shoes.

We have also secured a big stock of Men's and Women's sample shoes that we will sell at prices that will make you anxious to buy three or four pairs, as each pair is made from the finest selected leather that can be found of the kind put in these lines.

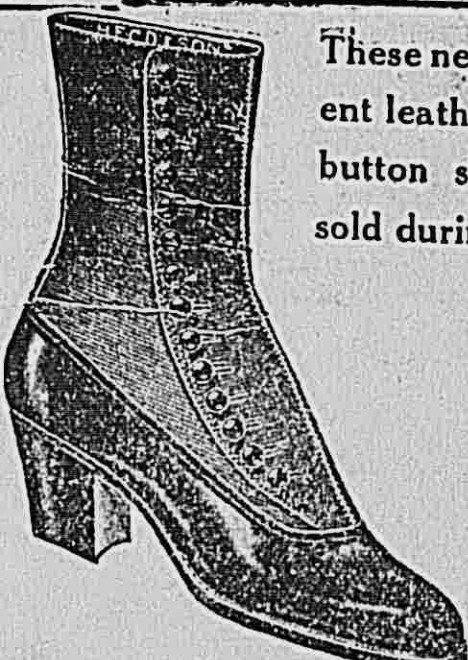
We intend to make our sales so popular that all of Lake County will take advantage of these opportunities to secure good shoes at prices far below their market value.

Racks full and tables full of all kinds of quality shoes at prices far below their value. Shoes to fit everybody at prices that will please everybody who appreciate quality shoes at low prices.

Now we want to take this opportunity to thank you for your patronage at our last sale and are pleased to say that we have not heard of one pair of shoes sold during our last sale that did not give entire satisfaction and will say that no shoes will be offered for sale at the Antioch Cash Shoe Store that cannot be recommended.



These comfortable Gun Metal and Patent leather lace and button shoes this sale **\$1.95** worth up to **\$3.00**



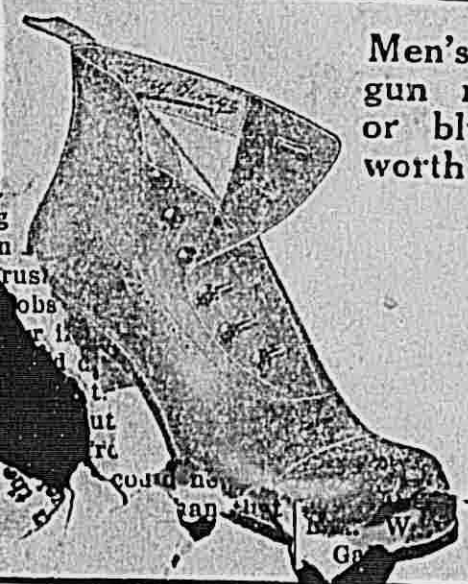
These neat, stylish Patent leather, cloth top, button shoes will be sold during this sale at **\$2.45** worth up to **\$4.00**



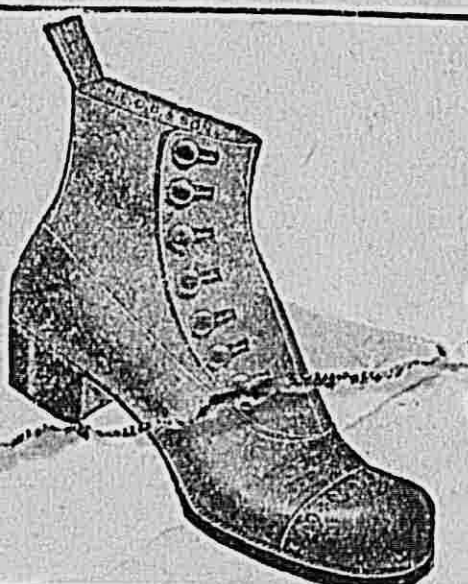
Misses Gun Metal, machine sewed, foot form last shoes, sizes 11-2, this sale, **\$1.49**



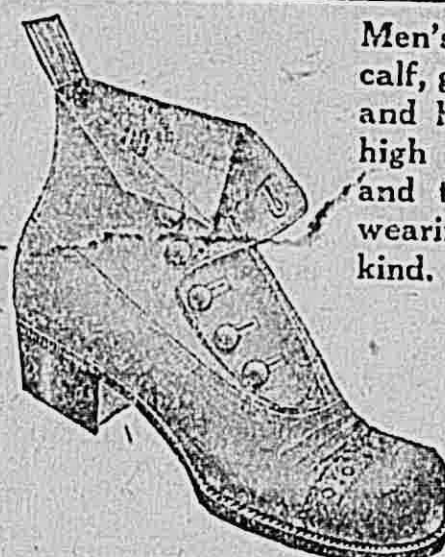
Misses Patent leather cloth top button shoes. Sizes 11-2, this sale. **\$1.69**



Men's fine, dressy, gun metal button or blucher shoes, worth up to \$3.50, this sale **\$2.45**



Men's fine calf tan but'n and blucher shoes, worth up to \$5.00, this sale **\$2.95**



Men's extra fine tan calf, gun metal, light and heavy kinds of high grade for dress and the extra good wearing every day kind. Worth up to \$5 This sale **\$3.19**



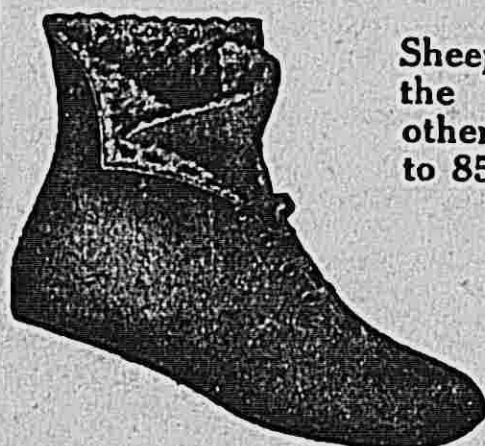
Boy's fine gun metal, button and blucher shoes, all sizes 2 1/2-5 1/2, this sale **\$1.89**



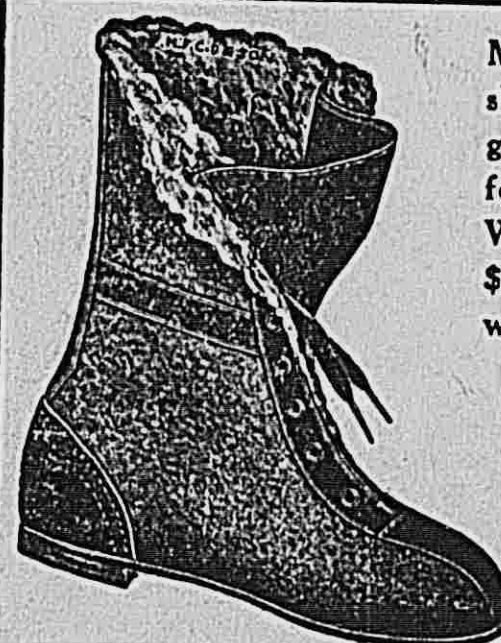
Little gent's gun metal, button and lace shoes, all sizes. This sale **\$1.39**



Little gents gun metal shoes, sizes 6 to 9, this sale **98c.**

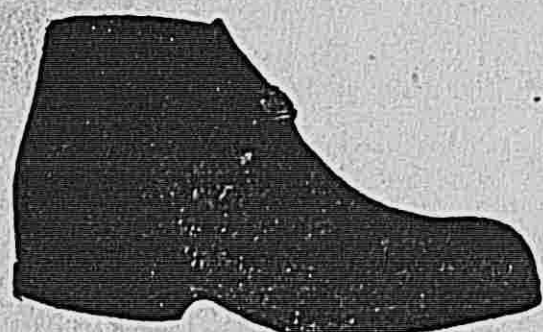


Sheep skin socks, the kind that others sell at 75c. to 85c. per pair, this sale **55c.**



Men's high cut sheep wana-gans, the kind for arctics. Worth up to \$2.25, this sale while they last **98c**

Rubber goods for this sale at price that will beat anything ever offered for high grade, first quality arctics. Men's Boston buckle over shoes, the kind that sell from \$1.50 up will be put on sale at 98c per pair. We have only about 150 pair of these and will not want to sell more than one pair to a customer.



We will also place on sale about 50 pair, of sizes 6 and 7, men's buckle rubber for socks, worth from \$1.75 to \$2.50 per pair, sale price

**89c.**

while they last

Boy's Knee Rubber Boots, all sizes

**\$1.79**



Men's Rubbers **69c.**



Women's Rubber's **43c.**

You will hear a great deal about raising prices of shoes but you can come to our store and be sure that you can buy your shoes at old prices because we have decided not to raise a single price, because we have made large advance purchase and have decided to share our good purchase with our patrons who have so liberally patronized us.

**ANTIOCH CASH SHOE STORE**  
 ANTIOCH, ILLINOIS

Rain or snow, hot or cold, the Antioch Cash Shoe Store is going to welcome you during this sale whether you buy or not. Sale will be at J. R. Cribb's old store and will continue for about 30 days so everybody will be able to attend as roads may be bad part of the time.

Everything placed on sale must be a bargain and you can purchase anything offered with full assurance that you are making a big saving



## LOCAL NEWS AND PERSONALITIES

Drug store open Sundays.  
8 to 10 a. m. 7 to 8:30 p. m., only.  
F. R. King.

Geo. Olcott was in Grayslake Friday.  
Mackinaw overcoats \$4.98, worth \$8,  
at Webb's.

Mrs. Irene Gray was visiting friends  
here.

Charles Thorn and Frank Palmer  
were in Chicago Wednesday.

The special meetings at the M. E.  
church began last Sunday evening.

Mrs. Emma Farnum of Norwood Park  
spent over Sunday with relatives here.

Sunday at the Crystal Herbert Raw-  
elson in "On The Level" also cupid or  
the scrub lady.

Chase Webb accompanied Dr. Stream  
of Pikeville to Muckwanago last Friday  
where he purchased 10 head of Guern-  
sey cattle.

Harold Hughes has accepted a posi-  
tion at the Jeffery auto works in Keno-  
sha, where he is at present holding  
down a job as a superintendent.

Rev. A. O. Stixrud of Elgin was  
called to Hickory to officiate at the  
King-Tillotson wedding Monday. He  
remained over and officiated at the fun-  
eral of Chas. Darby, Tuesday.

A remark was made at the Twinkler's  
club that a lady of this town had cer-  
tainly missed her calling by the poeti-  
cal talent that was displayed on the  
game of hearts, which was surely above  
the hum-drum life of household duties.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shales received a  
telephone message Tuesday summon-  
ing them to Ringwood on account of the  
death of the former's sister, Mrs. Alex  
Anderson. The news of her death was  
a shock to Mr. Shales as it was not  
known that Mrs. Anderson was even  
seriously ill. The cause of her death  
was at first a hard cold which later de-  
veloped into pneumonia, the deceased  
surviving but a couple of days after its  
development. At the present writing  
the eldest daughter of Mrs. Anderson is  
also very ill with the same disease and  
her recovery is very doubtful.

## CHURCH HOURS

St. Ignatius' Episcopal Church  
EVERETT CARR, PASTOR  
Church School at 9:45.  
Morning prayer and sermon at 11  
o'clock.

Lutheran Church  
There will be German Lutheran ser-  
vices at the Christian Church on next  
Sunday, at 2:30 p. m. Confirmation  
class every Sunday immediately follow-  
ing the service.

Christian Science  
Christian Science services held at  
the Crystal theater, every Sunday, at  
10:45 a. m.

Methodist Episcopal Church  
Evert Knight Hester, Minister.  
The public will please take notice of  
the change of hour of the morning ser-  
vice as follows:

10:30 a. m.—Public Worship.  
12:00 a. m.—Sunday School. Adult  
bible classes. The Baraca bible class  
for all men. The Delta Alpha class for  
young women.

Sunday—3:00 p. m.—Meeting of the  
Junior League.  
6:30 p. m. Epworth League hour.  
Teachers training class will meet on  
Tuesday evening at the church parlor  
at 7:00 o'clock.

7:30 p. m.—Evening worship.

(Official Publication)  
REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE  
Lake Villa  
Trust & Savings Bank

located at Lake Villa, State of Illinois, before the  
commencement of business on the 25th day of Jan-  
uary, 1916, as made to the Auditor of Public  
Accounts, for the State of Illinois, pursuant to  
law.

RESOURCES	
Loans on Real Estate.....	\$ 5,100 00
Loans on Collateral Se- curity.....	9,750 00
Other Loans and Discounts.....	56,017 10
Investments.....	70,667 10
Other Bonds and Securities.....	8,660 00
Furniture and Fixtures.....	8,600 00
Due from State Banks.....	2,424 55
Due from National Banks.....	2,424 55
Cash on Hand—	
Currency.....	5 00
Silver Coin.....	9,020 47
Minor Coin.....	0 25
Checks and other cash items.....	1,290 00
	296 20
	14 55
	69 79
	69 79
Total Resources.....	\$92,507 76
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in.....	25,000 00
Less current interest, ex- penses and taxes paid.....	627 04
Deposits:	
Time Certificates.....	7,882 71
Savings, subject to notice.....	25,836 44
Demand, subject to check.....	56,890 72
Bills payable.....	8,800 00
	8,800 00
Total Liabilities.....	\$92,507 76

State of Illinois, County of Lake, ss: I, Geo. A.  
Mitchell, Cashier of the Lake Villa Trust & Sav-  
ings Bank, do solemnly swear that the above state-  
ment is true to the best of my knowledge  
and belief.

GEO. A. MITCHELL, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day  
of February, 1916.  
M. L. MILLER,  
Notary Public.

Mrs. Kandlik is visiting her parents  
at Genoa Junction.

W. T. Taylor and daughter Leonella,  
were in Waukegan Friday.

Fred Thorn of Chicago spent over  
Sunday with relatives here.

John White of Chicago spent over  
Sunday at D. H. Cushing's.

Mrs. Geo. Vogel of Solon Mills is  
visiting her sister, Mrs. Fillweber.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Orne of Chi-  
cago spent over Sunday with friends  
here.

Miss Pearl Fillweber spent last week  
in Chicago as the guest of Mr. and Mrs.  
Craine.

Collector W. T. Taylor has received  
the tax books and he will soon be call-  
ing upon you.

Vanophone \$12. Put your order in  
now. Drop me a card and I will demon-  
strate it. Glenn Goodell, Antioch.

Williams Bros. and E. L. Simons  
filled their ice houses with twelve inch  
from Cross Lake the first of the week.

Mrs. Krum Blunt returned home last  
Thursday after a few days visit in  
Chicago.

Herman Tenbroggan is again seen on  
our streets after a sojourn of about  
four months at the county seat.

Lewis Felter and daughter Eva, left  
Monday for Walworth, Wis., for a few  
days visit with his sister, Mrs. Rodman,  
who is quite ill.

Misses Elizabeth Mitchell and Etta  
Allhorse, Mr. VanReuler and Arthur  
Herman of Chicago spent over Sunday  
at Ned Bates'.

Victrolas from \$15 to \$250 at Keul-  
man's. Make your selection now. Sold  
on easy terms. A complete supply of  
records always on hand.

Monday, Feb. 14, is Valentine's day.  
Have you bought your valentine? You  
will find a big selection at Keulman's  
Jewelry store. All prices from 1 cent  
to \$2.50.

The Twinklers will be entertained by  
Mrs. Elmer Brook and Mrs. Wm. Hille-  
brand at the home of the latter on  
Monday, Feb. 14. All club members  
invited.

Special—\$4.98, boys' suits, 17, 18 and  
19. Worth \$8.00 to \$10.00, at Webb's.

The Moose dance given in the opera  
house last Friday evening was well at-  
tended. The music that Morrell's or-  
chestra put forth was the best ever,  
according to the verdict of the crowd.

Mrs. Smalley, who has been visiting  
her sister, Mrs. Addie Simmons and  
other relatives here for the past few  
weeks returned to her home at Mani-  
towoc, Wis., on Monday of this week.

The second daughter Mr. and Mrs.  
Frank R. King who has been ill all last  
week was on Monday taken to Chicago  
for treatment. Mr. King was called to  
the city this morning and we under-  
stand that the child is in a very critical  
condition at the present time.

Mrs. A. G. Watson and Mrs. A. B.  
Johnson entertained the Twinklers at  
the Watson home Tuesday. The after-  
noon was given over to progressive  
spinning in which some of the poorest  
spinners made the best scores. It was  
sure some surprising how those inno-  
cent looking tops did behave. The next  
meeting of the club is at the Hillebrand  
home on Valentine's day.

Charles Darby, a resident of this vil-  
lage for several years, passed away at  
his home Saturday afternoon of last  
week, and the funeral services were  
held at the Lake Villa church on Tues-  
day, with Rev. Stixrud, of Elgin, officiat-  
ing. The interment was at the An-  
gola cemetery. Obituary will appear  
next week.

## RUSSELL

Mrs. Harrison Silver is on the gain.

Mrs. Corrie is visiting at Kenosha.

E. P. Silver is having a well drilled.

Mr. White is visiting in Chicago.

Louis Griffin was in Aurora on busi-  
ness Thursday.

Mrs. Wm. Ruff spent Wednesday  
with her sister, Mrs. Kelly at Wads-  
worth.

Dr. John Redding attended the fune-  
ral of Geo. Powell at Waukegan Wed-  
nesday.

Several from here attended the fune-  
ral of Mrs. Nancy Murray at Wauke-  
gan Thursday.

The Russell people gave a farewell  
party for Mr. and Mrs. Lunday and  
family Friday night.

The Ladies Aid will furnish dinner  
and supper for the Farmers Institute  
at the Russell church.

To Clean Enamelled Ware.  
A little powdered pumice stone will  
clean enamelled ware better than any-  
thing else.

A few specials in yarn mittens, at  
Webb's.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Cubbon visited  
the latter's parents at Spring Grove  
Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dupre are re-  
joicing over the arrival of a little  
daughter who came to their home last  
Sunday.

Saturday at the Crystal Hobart Bos-  
worth in "The White Scar." A Broad-  
way dramatic masterpiece in 5 big acts.  
A story of the early west. Admission  
10 cents.

F. H. Rhodes is putting on a big shoe  
sale, beginning next Saturday and con-  
tinuing till the stock formerly owned by  
J. R. Cribb has been disposed of. Read  
his add on page 4.

The music class of Mrs. W. F. Zieg-  
ler will give a recital at the home of  
Mrs. E. L. Wald at Lake Villa, Satur-  
day afternoon, Feb. 12, beginning at  
2:30 o'clock. The pupils of Mrs. Zieg-  
ler will be assisted by Miss Ivah M.  
Radtke, pupil of Dr. Wilson.

## Notice

I will be at Chase Webb's store on  
Wednesdays and Saturdays of each  
week to receive taxes, beginning Sat-  
urday, Feb. 12.

W. T. Taylor, Collector.

## Auction Sales

Having bought a farm I have decided  
to quit dairying and will sell at public  
auction, on my father's farm, 2½ miles  
south-west of Russell, 1½ miles north-  
west of Rosecrans and 8 miles east of  
Antioch, on

Thursday, Feb. 17  
Commencing at 10 o'clock sharp the  
following described property, to-wit:  
63 head of live stock—Bay mare, 9  
years old, wt. 1500; bay horse, 8 years,  
wt. 1250; brown mare, 10 years, wt.  
1500; black driving mare, 6 years, wt.  
1050. Several new milkers, 3 heavy  
springers, 4 Holstein heifers, 2-years,  
springing heavy, 7 yearling Holstein  
calves, 13 Holstein calves from 1 to 7  
months old. Registered Holstein bull,  
2 years old. 2 shoats, about 75 chick-  
ens, about 40 ton timothy and alfalfa  
hay mixed, 600 bu. No. 1 National seed  
oats, 20 bu. wheat, 6 stacks corn, about  
150 shocks of corn in field.

Free lunch at noon  
Usual terms.  
John Strahan, Jr., Prop.  
Henry Sine, Auctioneer.  
J. E. Brook, Clerk.

Auction sale on the Wicks farm at  
Grayslake. 56 head of cows, mostly  
Holstein, new milkers and springers.  
Five head Holstein bulls, some register-  
ed. 8 head horses. Hay, feed and  
corn. Sale starts at 10 o'clock. Anton  
DeGreff, Prop.

Big plants depend to  
a very considerable ex-  
tent on small savings in  
all directions.

In other words they  
aim to eliminate waste  
especially in production.

Its a sound policy and  
perfectly applicable in  
the operation of any con-  
cern particularly one  
employing machinery.

Its readily put in  
force by the use  
of Electric Pow-  
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its features of  
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lects pay only for  
the work it act-  
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Every user of machinery  
in town, whether in the  
form of an elaborate as-  
semblage, or involving  
only one simple piece of  
mechanism, will find an  
investigation of Electric  
Power worth while and  
more.

Public Service Co.  
of Northern Ills.

## WILMOT

Miss Mary Moran is on sick list.

Little Dean Loftus is on the sick list.  
Ray Kinrade of Burlington was home  
over Sunday.

Clyde Button spent the week-end  
with home folks.

Mrs. Burt Robbins and Frank Stewart  
were here Saturday.

Miss Grace Carey was in Chicago  
Friday and Saturday.

Miss Lelah Kennedy was the guest of  
Kenosha friends Sunday.

A large crowd attended the sale at  
Richter's here Saturday.

Mary Bouden spent the past week at  
Antioch with her sister.

Miss Maude Vincent was a Sunday  
visitor with Bristol friends.

Geo. Patrick and wife of Trevor  
spent the first of the week with friends  
here.

Mrs. Lottie Harrison left Monday  
where she will spend sometime at the  
Darby home.

There were no services at the M. E.  
church last Sunday on account of the  
illness of Rev. Lawrence.

The Ladies Aid society will be enter-  
tained at the home of Mrs. Wm. Vol-  
brecht Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Lonie of South Dakota was en-  
tertained in the Lonie and Shottliff  
homes the first of the week.

The residents of Wilmot are indeed  
fortunate in securing a new druggist to  
fill the place recently vacated by Mr.  
Vaughn. The new druggist is a young  
man of high reputation and is exper-  
ienced in the business. Mr. Hull took  
possession of the store last Monday and  
immediately started making improve-  
ments. By this time his store is pret-  
tily decorated in white and a number of  
other needed changes made. Mr. Hull  
comes from Racine and is extended a  
most hearty welcome by the people of  
Wilmot.

## TREVOR

Mrs. Mathews is on the sick list.

Miss Eliza Fleming was in Burlington  
Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Higgins were in Salem  
Saturday.

Mrs. Smith spent Friday with her  
sister at Antioch.

Miss Patrick spent the week-end with  
relatives in Chicago.

Miss Scott and Miss Taylor were in  
Silverlake Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Patrick attended  
the dinner at Salem Saturday.

Mrs. Carey and daughters of Wilmot  
called on Mrs. Dobyns Friday.

Mrs. Evans and Mrs. Seby were in  
Burlington shopping Thursday.

The Pie social at Wm. Evans was  
well attended and a good time enjoyed.

The Parent-Teacher's association of  
the Trevor school will hold its next  
regular meeting at the school house on  
Friday, Feb. 11, at 7:30 p. m. All per-  
sons interested in the work are re-  
quested to be present. Elizabeth Yopp,  
secretary.

## CLASSIFIED DEPARTMENT

All advertisements inserted under this head at  
the following rates: Five lines or less, 25 cents  
for first insertion, 15 cents for each subsequent  
insertion. More than five lines, 5 cents a line for  
first insertion, and 3 cents a line for additional  
insertions.

FOUND—A right hand glove. Owner  
can have same by proving property and  
paying for this notice.

WANTED—To rent a hotel on any  
of the lakes in this vicinity. Inquire at  
this office.

WANTED—Reliable experienced man  
to work on farm. Inquire at school  
house. K. C. Zehren, Agric. Inst. 2w

FOR SALE—A quantity of good  
clover hay in stack, for further infor-  
mation call at this office.

FOR SALE—Will deliver at Antioch  
cord wood sawed in stove length for \$6  
a cord. See Chase Webb.

WANTED—To buy a house and lot in  
the Village of Antioch. Inquire at this  
office.

FOR RENT—5 room bungalow in  
north Antioch. Wm. Hancock.

FOR SALE—Fifteen lots on south-  
east shore of Grass Lake. High ground  
and sub-divided. Robert Selter, An-  
tioch.

FOR SALE—House and lot in Vil-  
lage of Antioch. House with modern  
conveniences, lot 100x140, with garden  
and barn. Inquire at this office.

Find Roosts in Chimneys.  
Swallows, after a day spent in  
skimming the air and catching in-  
sects, will seek a roosting place at  
night. The chimney swift soars about  
until after sunset and then suddenly  
darts into some chimney. These birds  
have very sharp-pointed claws and  
cling on the sides of the sooty flues.

## AUCTION SALES

Having rented my farm 2 miles west  
Gurnee, I will sell at Public Auction on

Wednesday, February 16

Seven Horses

21 Cattle

All my farm tools and machinery, wa-  
gons etc., grain and some household  
goods

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

LEO F. FENLON

Bell



System

Telephone subscribers on eight-  
party lines should make it a point  
to limit their telephone conver-  
sations to five minutes. To use  
the line for a longer period is un-  
fair to other parties on the line.

Limiting party line conversations pre-  
vents friction and promotes harmony.  
This is an important factor in furnishing  
good telephone service of this class.

Keep the five-minute thought in

Chicago Telephone Company  
C. T. Ford, District Manager  
Telephone 9903

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Factory 2201-2203 W. 12th St.  
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Boiling Beef,  
Rib Roast, pe  
Serloin Butts  
Boneless Run  
Cleaned Pigs  
Bacon, per lb  
No. 1 Hams,  
Boiled Ham,  
Summer Saus

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50 lb. Tub Lar

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## NAVAL BILL

AS \$500,000, MEAS-  
EQUIP MARE  
AND YARD.

HOUSE A  
FOR NEW YORK

Academy Measure Will Provide Imme-  
diate Increase of Three Hundred  
Midshipmen at Annapolis—  
Debate by Clark and Mann.

Washington, Feb. 9.—Naval affairs  
were debated in the house for the  
first time on Monday, and the Naval  
academy increase bill was passed by  
a vote of 175 to 0. The house also au-  
thorized the immediate use of \$500,000  
to equip Mare Island Navy yard to be-  
gin building a dreadnaught or battle  
cruiser, and the expenditure of \$100-  
000 to enlarge facilities at the New  
York yard.

The Mare Island yard will build  
the first big battleship ever construct-  
ed on the Pacific coast.

Speaker Clark and Republican Lead-  
er Mann took part in the debates, each  
favoring the naval bills. The academy  
bill will provide for the immediate in-  
crease of 300 midshipmen at Annapolis.

Speaker Clark said he favored dou-  
bling the capacity of both Annapolis  
and West Point and extending the  
privilege of education at either institu-  
tion in such a way as to "democrat-  
ize" both services.

Representative Mann called for a di-  
vision on the academy increase bill to  
put the preparedness opponents on  
record, but none of those who had  
spoken against the measure responded  
in the negative.

Speaker Clark declared that if 17-  
inch guns were being placed on for-  
eign ships the United States should  
have them as well, or the best guns  
obtainable now or hereafter.

Mr. Mann suggested that the naval  
affairs committee speed up its work.  
"I believe that the president is sin-  
cere," he said, "and patriotic in his  
utterances as to the possibilities of the  
future, and that we ought to aid  
him in preparing our country for trou-  
ble, which we all hope will not come,  
but may come."

Appropriations for the navy  
transfer \$600,000 of the  
ready appropriated for  
Nos. 43 and 44 and for  
work. The government  
\$500,000 under private pro-  
dreadnaughts 43 and 44.  
cent of Mare Island will  
ment two major con-  
s, the other in New

## WRECK

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Men Die

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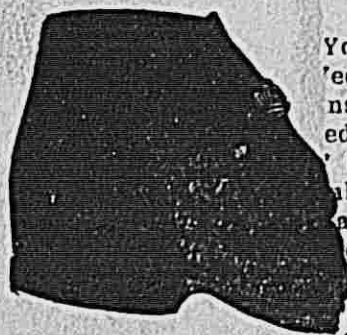
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ideals.

Ill undecided whether Mr.  
ll make another trip. The  
s advisers are urging him to  
once. They especially want  
awing through the southern  
where opponents of prepared-  
have been making a campaign.

Rubber goods for this sale at  
thing ever offered for high g.

Men's Boston buckle over sh  
from \$1.50 up will be put on  
We have only about 150 pair  
want to sell more than one pair



You will hear a great deal about  
of shoes but you can come to our  
sure that you can buy your shoes  
because we have decided not to  
price, because we have made large  
chase and have decided to share  
chase with our patrons who have  
patronized us.

Everything placed

## PASSED BERLIN ENDS CRISIS

MESSAGE TO VON BERNSTORFF  
MAKES FULL SETTLEMENT OF  
LUSITANIA CASE NEAR.

## NO DANGER OF BREAK SEEN

Germany Has Refused to Declare  
Sinking of Liner Illegal, But Makes  
Concessions Which Give Promise of  
Adjustment Soon.

Washington, Feb. 7.—All danger of  
a rupture with Germany over the Lu-  
sitanian controversy has disappeared.

Count von Bernstorff formally com-  
municated to Secretary of State Lan-  
sing on Friday the reply of his gov-  
ernment to the oral representations  
made to him some days ago.

While Germany has refused to de-  
clare that the sinking of the Lusitania  
was illegal and contrary to interna-  
tional law in the form desired by this  
government, it can be stated on au-  
thority that concessions have been  
made which give promise of adjust-  
ment as a result of further ex-  
changes.

Whether these concessions fully  
comply with the terms of settlement  
offered by President Wilson will de-  
pend—from the American viewpoint—  
on very close study and examination  
of the note.

From the German viewpoint the  
communication is regarded as grant-  
ing substantially all that the United  
States asked in the report recently  
sent to his government by Count von  
Bernstorff, on the basis of his last  
conversation with Secretary Lansing.

Should President Wilson not find the  
concessions wholly satisfactory it  
seems probable that an adjustment  
to make them acceptable can be reached  
in informal conferences between Sec-  
retary Lansing and Count von Bern-  
storff during the next five days.

The concessions made by the Ger-  
man government are of such a char-  
acter, it is understood, that if they  
fall short of satisfying President Wil-  
son they have so narrowed the margin  
of difference in the informal negotia-  
tions as not to necessitate the aban-  
donment of the informal negotiations.

The danger of a break in diplomatic  
relations between Germany and the  
United States, it is asserted in a very  
high quarter, has been averted by the  
new communication, and the state-  
ment is even made in this very respon-  
sible quarter that there can now be no  
break between the two countries over  
the Lusitania affair.

## PHILIPPINE BILL IS PASSED

Measure Wins in the Senate by Vote of  
52 to 24—Stone's Amend-  
ment Lost.

Washington, Feb. 7.—After weeks  
of discussion the Philippine self-gov-  
ernment bill was passed by the senate  
on Friday by a vote of 52 to 24.

As finally adopted, its essential fea-  
tures have been substantially modifi-  
ed. Senator Stone offered an amend-  
ment that would have eliminated the  
provision giving the president power  
to suspend the period within which  
consent must be granted, and  
the provision in the original  
guaranteeing the neutrality of the  
islands. Senator Stone made a strong  
case for support for this proposi-  
tion, but it was rejected, 60 to 17.

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Newport News.

Italian Town Is Shelled.  
Feb. 7.—An Austrian squad  
consisting of four torpedo boats  
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## THE LATEST RECRUIT



## "ZEP" FALLS INTO SEA TO FREE PHILIPPINES

BELIEVED AIRSHIP DISABLED BY  
DUTCH SHELLS.

Crew of British Trawler, Fearing Cap-  
ture, Refused Aid—Twenty-  
Two Perish.

London, Feb. 5.—Thirty-five more  
deaths in British waters, resulting  
from the Zeppelin raid, are reported.

Twenty-two of the victims are Ger-  
mans, members of the crew of a dir-  
igible, believed to have been the L-19,  
which fell into the North sea.

Thirteen men of the crew of the  
collier Franz Fischer were drowned  
when the collier was sent to the bot-  
tom in two minutes by a bomb dropped  
by one of the Zeppelins returning from  
the raid made on England. Only three  
men of the Fischer were saved.

The story of the fate of the wrecked  
air craft is told by the crew of the  
steam trawler King Stephen, Captain  
Martin, which arrived at Grimsby. Aid  
was refused the Germans because they  
outnumbered the crew of the trawler.

It is considered likely that the Ger-  
mans have drowned by this time.  
The fishermen say that early on  
Wednesday morning in the North sea  
their attention was attracted by a ship  
of light apparently from a ship's sig-  
nal lamp. They made for the spot and  
found a huge mass of wreckage.

They stood by until the light im-  
proved, when it was seen that the  
wreckage was that of the Zeppelin  
L-19. The cabins and a part of the  
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Volunteer Firemen Killed.  
Babylon, N. Y., Feb. 8.—John R.  
Higbie, banker, and Chief Leon Pettit  
of the Babylon volunteer fire depart-  
ment, were killed when a fire engine  
on which they were riding was struck  
by a Long Island train.

Kaiser on Western Front.  
Copenhagen, Feb. 8.—A report from  
Berlin states that Emperor William  
has been on the western front for  
some time, and was in the neighbor-  
hood of the Belgian frontier when the  
attacks on Loos took place.

Food for Montenegrins.  
Rome, Feb. 8.—M. Radovich, the  
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## MRS. MOHR IS FREED

WIDOW OF WEALTHY NEWPORT  
PHYSICIAN IS ACQUITTED OF  
MURDER CHARGE.

## NEGROES ARE FOUND GUILTY

Charged They Were Hired by Woman  
to Kill the Doctor—Both Face Pris-  
on Terms—Crime Committed on  
Washington Park Road Aug. 31.

Providence, R. I., Feb. 8.—Mrs. Eliz-  
abeth F. Mohr is free. She was found  
not guilty on Saturday on the charge  
of having hired three negroes to waylay  
and kill her husband, Dr. Charles F.  
Mohr, a wealthy Newport physician,  
while in an automobile with his office  
assistant, Emily Burger.

For two of the negroes, Henry  
Spellman and Cecil V. Brown, who  
were charged directly with the murder  
of Doctor Mohr, the doors of the state  
prison yawn. They were found guilty  
of having killed the doctor and seri-  
ously wounding the "other woman" in  
the case, which has stirred Rhode Is-  
land for months. The jury was out  
seven hours.

With the verdict pronounced against  
the negroes, the clerk asked:  
"Mrs. Elizabeth Mohr not guilty. Is  
that your verdict?"

As Foreman Clark answered, "It is,"  
Mrs. Mohr sobbed and collapsed in her  
chair.

"Elizabeth F. Mohr hereby is dis-  
charged from this indictment."

Dr. Charles F. Mohr was shot and  
killed and Emily Burger seriously in-  
jured as they sat in a stalled automob-  
ile on Washington Park road on the  
night of August 31, 1915. George  
Healls, the negro chauffeur, apparent-  
ly was endeavoring to repair the en-  
gine.

"On September 2 Healls was arrest-  
ed. Later Brown and Spellman were  
arrested when stories were told of two  
negroes having been seen fleeing from  
the scene of the crime on a motor-  
cycle. A few days later they made a  
confession. They declared they were  
hired by Mrs. Mohr to kill the doctor  
and Miss Burger. Later these con-  
fessions were repudiated.

By the terms of the Clarke amend-  
ment the president would be author-  
ized to surrender all rights to the Phil-  
ippines and recognize an independent  
government instituted by the people  
in not less than two or more than four  
years after approval of the pending  
measure.

Provision is made, however, that the  
president may extend time for with-  
drawing from the islands if conditions  
of internal and external affairs with re-  
gard to stability of the proposed gov-  
ernment should warrant such action.  
He might extend it until the adjourn-  
ment of a new session in congress, in  
order to afford congress another op-  
portunity further to consider the sub-  
ject.

Provision making it optional for the  
United States to retain sites for coal-  
ing stations and a naval base in the  
event of independence was included.  
Efforts to recommend the bill failed by  
a vote of 50 to 29.

By a vote of 49 to 31 an amendment  
by Senator Kenyon of Iowa was adopt-  
ed to strike from the Clarke amend-  
ment all plans for guaranteeing the  
sovereignty of the islands, either by  
the United States alone or by treaties  
or other international agreements.

Amsterdam, Feb. 5.—Mails of the  
Dutch steamer Medan, which arrived  
at Rotterdam from New York on  
Wednesday, were taken off and held in  
England.

Mexico City, Feb. 5.—Defying orders  
of the Carranza authorities, the Union  
of Clerks has called a strike in Mexico  
City. As a result 16 of the union lead-  
ers, most of them I. W. W. agitators,  
were arrested.

Sofia, Feb. 7.—The Bulgarian parlia-  
ment has been asked by the state at-  
torney for authority to arrest 13 of its  
members, adherents of M. Ghenadiev,  
former foreign minister, on charges of  
accepting bribes from a French agent.

Shanghai, Feb. 7.—The Japanese  
steamer Daljin Maru, 1,576 tons, colli-  
ded with the British steamer Linan  
Wednesday night and sank shortly af-  
terward with a loss of 160 lives, accord-  
ing to maritime advices received here.  
The Linan was badly damaged and  
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BEGIN HOT WATER  
DRINKING IF YOU  
DON'T FEEL RIGHT

Says glass of hot water with  
phosphate before breakfast  
washes out poisons.

If you wake up with a bad taste, bad  
breath and tongue is coated; if your  
head is dull or aching; if what you eat  
sours and forms gas and acid in stom-  
ach, or you are bilious, constipated,  
nervous, and can't get feeling  
just right, begin drinking phosphated  
hot water. Drink before breakfast, a  
glass of real hot water with a tea-  
spoonful of limestone phosphate in it.  
This will flush the poisons and toxins  
from stomach, liver, kidneys and bow-  
els and cleanse, sweeten and purify  
the entire alimentary tract. Do your  
inside bathing immediately upon arising  
in the morning to wash out of the  
system all the previous day's poison-  
ous waste, gases and sour bile before  
putting more food into the stomach.

To feel like young folks feel; like  
you felt before your blood, nerves and  
muscles became loaded with body im-  
purities, get from your druggist or  
storekeeper a quarter pound of lim-  
estone phosphate which is inexpensive  
and almost tasteless, except for a  
sourish tinge which is not unpleasant.

Just as soap and hot water act on  
the skin, cleansing, sweetening and  
freshening, so hot water and lim-  
estone phosphate act on the stomach,  
liver, kidneys and bowels. Men and  
women who are usually constipated,  
bilious, headachy or have any stomach  
disorder should begin this inside bath-  
ing before breakfast. They are as-  
sured they will become real cranks on  
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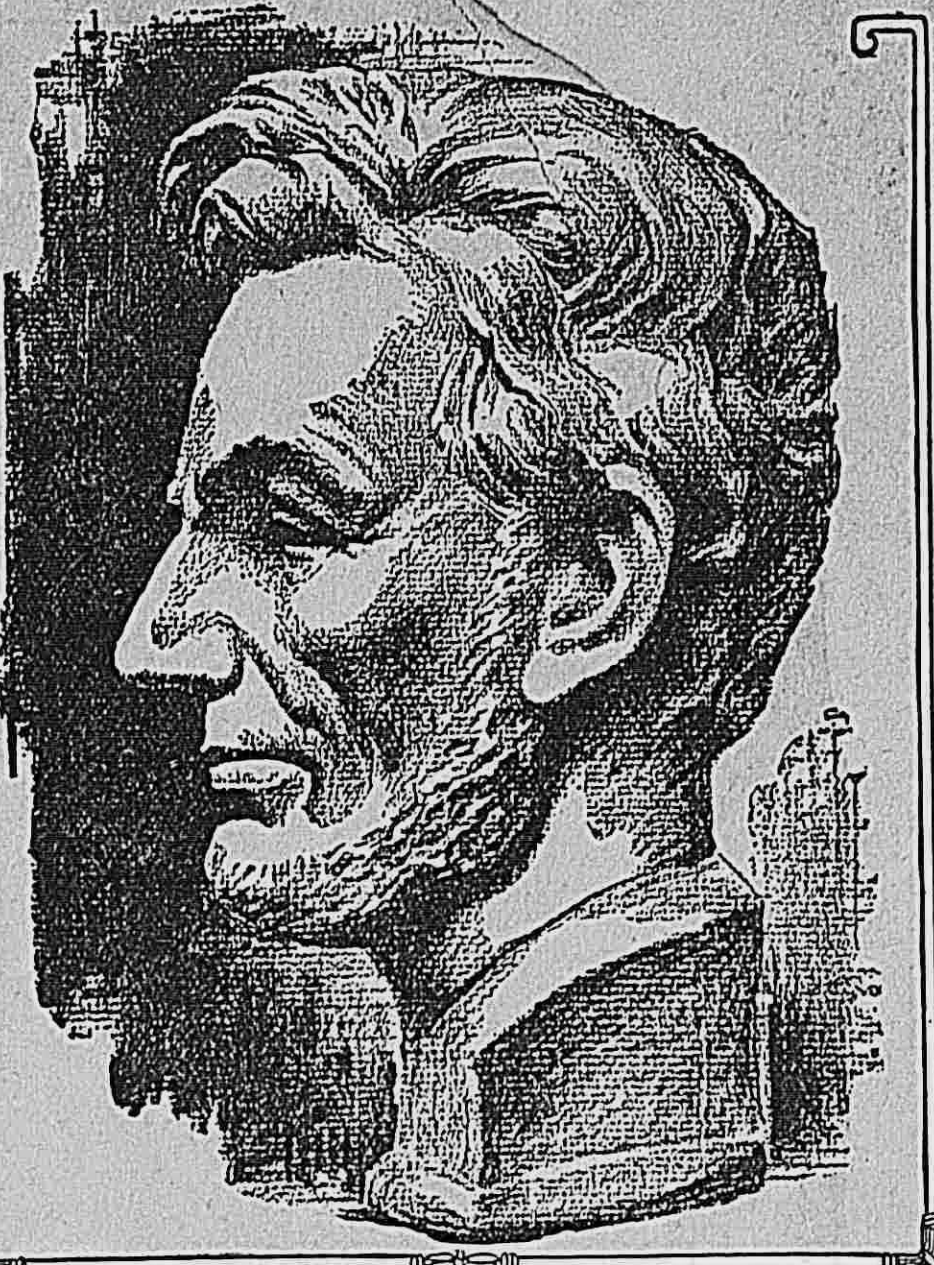
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# LINCOLN'S LAST FEW WEEKS

FROM his 56th birthday on February 12 until the night of his assassination the "Great Emancipator" seemed happier than he had been in five years. Was there premonition?



THE IDEAL HEAD OF LINCOLN (A Sculpture by Schweizer)

Old man in American history has carried burdens as heavy as those which Abraham Lincoln bore on his great, patient shoulders. Despite his reputation as a teller of humorous stories and his keen appreciation of the ludicrous in persons and situations that bore the outward appearance of utmost dignity and funeral solemnity, the martyred president was a melancholy man. The whole course of his life had made him so.

In childhood he endured the most rigorous hardship in the wilds of southern Indiana and central Illinois. His father was a sort of ne'er-do-well who somehow couldn't seem to gather any of this world's goods together. His mother was a patient, God-fearing toiler who held no hope of reward in mortal life. This mother encouraged his efforts at learning when he was a little fellow, and just when mother and son were getting to be chummy and have their times of reading aloud together she died—after only a week's illness. The son's grief was lasting.

When he was twenty-two, Lincoln fell in love with little Ann Rutledge, who was wearing her heart out in grief for a faithless lover. After a time, Lincoln won little Ann's regard and they planned to marry—though he was desperately poor. Came a streak of good luck; he went to the legislature at Springfield and she went to Jacksonville, Ill., to a young ladies' academy. Presently Lincoln got word that she was ill. One week later she was dead. This sorrow Lincoln added to his early grief.

Years later, the tall, awkward country lawyer was elected president of the United States—an honor unsurpassable. But with it came the ghastly tragedy of civil strife. And to his sorrow and his grief of old he added this load of sadness. Four years and more Lincoln plodded slowly along under the burden, a national mourner. Then through the clouds came a ray of sunshine. The war was nearing an end. The president saw peace ahead. He planned to bind a nation's wounds—North and South alike. He became happier—rather, he became less unhappy, for his spirit was expanding.

But once again the glittering lance of malignant fate shot out. This time it brought down the victim it had played with for half a century—A. Lincoln!

The following telegram, one of the many instances of his works of mercy and compassion, was sent by Abraham Lincoln from the White House on his last birthday alive. It typifies the spirit of the man in the last days of his life and is exemplary of the attitude he took, not only towards individuals but toward the peoples and the states who were opposed in arms to the Union.

"Major General Hooker, Cincinnati, Ohio:

"Is it Lieut. Samuel D. Davis whose death sentence is commuted. If not done, let it be done. Is there not an associate of his also in trouble? Please answer.

A. LINCOLN."

The military rigors of the closing days of the war compelled harsh measures, not only in dealing with the enemy but in dealing with those within the forces of the North who were guilty of desertion, neglect or treachery, and the columns of the daily papers of the time were replete with paragraphs headed, as a rule, "Execution of the Conspirators," "The Spies Shot" or "Execution of ——— Deserters."

A perusal of his papers during the weeks preceding and following his

birthday, February 12, 1865, show that he was giving especial attention to these matters. In the month of February alone he sent at least ten telegrams suspending or delaying executions or asking for full reports of the trials for his personal examination.

In some cases he upheld the decree of the military courts, in others he issued pardons, and it is said that in at least one case the man who had been convicted was in reality a government secret service agent unknown to the military authorities who had convicted him for the very acts he committed in the service of the Union.

It has been asserted by some biographers of Lincoln that he felt premonitions of his death in the months following his second election and if this be true it is possible that the shadow over his soul may have caused him to be more clement than was his rule. All are agreed that he was always compassionate and slow to condemn, but he was sensible of the necessity for stern justice and was not given to mock mercy of the weak-kneed, sentimental kind.

The president's birthday itself had no special significance in 1865. It is doubtful if many outside his immediate family realized when the day occurred. It would be a small percentage of Americans today who could state the date of President Wilson's birth and in the last stages of the Civil war the nation was too sorely beset by pressing, vital problems, sorrow and anxiety to recognize the birthday of the man who himself was the vortex of all the maelstrom of political, military and executive activities.

It is known, however, that Lincoln's last birthday season saw the president more cheerful, more hopeful of a peace which should save the Union than he had been at any other time during the war.

He had recently met commissioners of the Confederate government on a steamer at Hampton Roads and although the interview had led to nothing, the president felt that the dissension evident between the commissioners from the South meant a speedy conclusion of the conflict.

Nicolay and Hay, writing of the president's general feeling in February, 1865, says: "His interview with the rebel commissioners doubtless strengthened his former convictions that the rebellion was waning in enthusiasm and resources, and that the Union cause must triumph at no distant day. Secure in his renewal of four years' personal leadership and hopefully inspired by every sign of early victory in the war, his only thought was to shorten by generous conciliation the period of dreadful conflict. His temper was not one of exultation, but of broad, patriotic charity and of keen, sensitive personal sympathy for the whole country and all its people, South as well as North. His conversation with Stephens, Hunter and Campbell had probably revealed to him glimpses of the undercurrent of their anxiety that fraternal bloodshed and the destructive ravages of war might somehow come to an end."

Just before the president's birthday the house of representatives passed a resolution requesting the president to communicate to it such information as he might deem compatible with the public interest concerning his interview with the Confederate commissioners. The president sent to the house a message summarizing the transactions on board the steamer, which actually amounted to nothing

at all. This message was received February 10 and a short discussion occurred in the house. According to Nicolay and Hay:

"It (the discussion) did not rise above the level of an ordinary party wrangle. The few Democrats who took part in it complained of the president for refusing an armistice, while the Republicans retorted with Jefferson Davis' conditions about the 'two countries' and the more recent declarations of his Richmond harangue, announcing his readiness to perish for independence. On the whole, both congress and the country were gratified that the incident had called out Mr. Lincoln's renewed declaration of an unalterable resolve to maintain the Union. Patriotic hope was quickened and public confidence strengthened by noting once more his singleness of purpose and steadfastness of faith. No act of his could have formed a more fitting prelude to his second inauguration, which was now rapidly approaching, and the preliminary steps of which were at this time consummated."

This feeling throughout the country and in congress was becoming evident to the president on his last birthday, so much so that he commented on it to his friends and advisers. It showed him that the nation was behind him, and that he would be supported to the completion of his work of cementing the Union.

Almost in the nature of a birthday gift came the formal announcement to President Lincoln that he had been elected president of the United States.

On the very day of Lincoln's birthday the first of the cotton ships Sherman had sent from Savannah put into New York and Newport, R. I. The newspapers of February 13 featured the dispatches announcing the arrival of the vessels and commenting with favor on the prospects of getting great cargoes of cotton from the newly opened ports of the South.

The dailies were also filled with dispatches telling of the progress of Grant's campaign against Lee, which was beginning to show the war, and that Sherman had completed his march to the sea. None viewed the approach of peace with greater gratification than did Lincoln, and it was with the spirit of this period of his last birthday upon him that he wrote his second inaugural address, which is fraught with human sympathy, so expressive of the character of the man.

The sad story of the great president's death is familiar to all. That it was to follow so closely on his last birthday, so lightened by hope and gratitude for the success of the Union cause, none could foresee, unless, as some writers declare, the president himself had forebodings of it.

In all events, it is pleasant to contemplate that the closing months of Abraham Lincoln's life were gifted with a feeling of peace which for long he had not known. It was during these months that he conceived that closing paragraph of his second inaugural address:

"With malice toward none, with charity for all, with firmness in the right as God gives us to see the right, let us strive on to finish the work we are in, to bind up the nation's wounds, to care for him who shall have borne the battle, and for his widow and his orphan—to do all which may achieve and cherish a just and lasting peace among ourselves and with all nations."

## Evening Up.

"Excuse me, suh," said Mr. Erastus Pinkley, "but did you know dat de quarter you done persented me wif was counterfeit?"

"Certainly not. Let me see it."

"I ain' got it no mo'. What I do sired to say is dat if you's got any mo' of 'em to pass out I'm time to time I would be mos' appreciative to be remembered. De men I shoots crap wif has been so lucky dar ain no sense o' me stayin' in de game unless dey carries some handicap."

## The HOME BEAUTIFUL

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## STUDY YOUR CATALOGUES

By E. VAN BENTHUYSEN.

Get your catalogues early and study them. Make your selections and order early. This assures the goods on time and a better selection.

Be sure to include a mixed packet of climbing nasturtiums for that corner where the sun scorches everything else. They are beautiful in coloring and are subject to only one real insect pest, the cabbage worm, and it succumbs to hellebore or soap-suds.

California poppy is another sun-loving plant. Its gay foliage blends attractively with its golden leaves. Its only drawback is its short life.

The scarlet salvia has no peer in color. It is a brilliant plant and should be started early in the house. Cosmos requires an early start, also. It is difficult to get this plant started early enough to bloom much before frost, but the buds will continue to open in water for weeks.

Select the chrysanthemum effects among asters. Their branching and ostrich plume effect are sure to please. There is a world of color to select from and they are hardy and beautiful.

The simple culture of pansies makes them a delight in the garden. Include a packet of these beautiful little flowers of diverse colors in your order.

Plant sweet peas as soon as the ground can be worked in the spring. Late planting brings failure. The more the flowers are plucked the better and bigger they grow! The colors are beautiful and range from purest white to a red that is almost black. One of the favorite specimens belong to the violet-colored family.

There is room in your garden for the bachelor button. It is highly regarded as a boutonniere in the big cities and brings a surprising price.

Make your plans now and reap the glorious result in midsummer.

## GERANIUMS FROM SEED

By ADELE J. POWELL.

Last spring I purchased a package of "Large Flowering California Geraniums," and planted them in a pot about the middle of March. I kept the soil moist and placed the pot in a sunny window, where in eight days the first tiny plant made its appearance, and from then until some time in June the seeds kept germinating, and when the last one was about an inch in height, the others were

sprouting their fourth and fifth leaves. There were 18 altogether.

As each little geranium grew its second leaf, I transplanted it carefully into a two-inch pot, and when 12 of them were growing nicely, in May, I again transplanted all the nice, bright-looking "babies" to a tub of sandy soil, and put it out on the west lawn.

Here they grew fast; for the geranium loves the hot sun. In July I snipped off their tops, to make them branch out. By the first of September this tubful of geraniums were fine, stocky plants, from six to nine inches high.

About this time I planted another packet of geranium seeds. They are in fine condition and growing nicely. I expect the plants first from the seeds to give me flowers this summer.

They are now in three-inch pots, and I am quite anxious to see their blossoms. I shall keep none but the very best colors and best-formed florets.

Those planted last September will probably blossom next winter. For several years I have had good success with keeping geranium slips over, also with the old plants, by cutting the latter down.

Last summer the heads of my geraniums were four inches across. They were of the General Grant variety, a deep glowing red. I keep all my geraniums in a bay window of the living room where the temperature often falls to 40 degrees on very cold winter nights.

Every morning I pour about my large geranium plants cold, weak tea, and dig the tea leaves into the soil. It is a splendid tonic for them, and keeps the leaves green and thrifty.

## TO PREVENT GREEN

To prevent the green molds on flower pots, soak in the following solution: Take ounces of copper carbonate and a thick paste of it with water, and with a wooden pall for the purpose, lute five pints of strong ammonia to 20 pints of water. Add the ammonia to the paste and mix thoroughly. Add water to make one or two gallons or in this proportion.

Seedlings for next spring should be cut now. The tips of the limbs in sand in the cellar, in earth to dry out but kept too wet.

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## GOOD REASON FOR STOPPING

Youthful Angler Not Out of Patience But of Something That Was Quite as Important.

The old man was an enthusiastic fisherman. To him there was no sport like sitting dangling a bit of string at the end of a pole. He set off in pursuit of this hobby one afternoon, and just before reaching the river, met a lad coming back, his fishing-rod hanging limply over his shoulder.

"What's this, sonny?" exclaimed the man, in good-natured reproach. "Surely you are not giving up so soon? The fishing will be better still in an hour or two."

"I know," replied the lad, sorrowfully, "but I'm going home for all that."

"You're quickly tired," scoffed the older angler. "Next time you come out, bring more patience with you."

"Tain't that, mister," the lad answered. "I brought plenty of patience, but not enough bait."

Used to Shells and Their Contents. A stranger became one of a group of listeners to a veteran of many battles, says Postmaster General Burleson. The veteran had about concluded a vividly colored narrative of a furious battle, in which he had slain

"Just think of it," exclaimed the party, turning to

"How would you like shells bursting all around you?"

"I have been there," replied the newcomer.

"What? Have you, too, died?"

"No," answered the stranger, "an actor."—Philadelphia Ledger.

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## CONDENSATIONS

Admiral Jellicoe entered the British navy as a cadet before he was thirteen years of age, and now has been in the service for 43 years.

A great system of windmills is being experimented with in Kansas to pump the underground water to the surface for the purpose of irrigation.

Concrete arches resting on bed rock have been built in a New Hampshire cemetery to support gravestones in land too soft to support them itself.

The Hohenzollern fortune, which totaled \$5,000,000 when the great grandfather of the present kaiser died, is now estimated at seven times that figure. Eighteen months ago the kaiser paid a military tax of \$965,000.

There are many earlier records of human affairs, but the first historian now recognized as such was Herodotus, the great Greek, who wrote in the fifth century B. C. The Old Testament and the Book of Kings are also, of course, among the most ancient of historical works.

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It is the purpose of the exhibitors to make this show as instructive as possible, and by the way arrangements have been made it cannot help but prove beneficial to prospective motorists, and interesting to the general public. Keep abreast with the progress of the motor car, for this is one of America's foremost industries, and you should be acquainted with it. Special decorations will greatly enhance the beauty of this magnificent display of 1916 motor cars. Everybody will be at the Auto Show.

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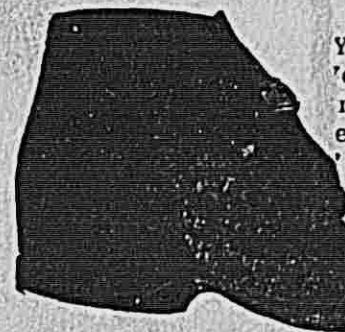


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